

# BASEBALL Texas Leaguers Again Defeated by Washington TATTA President and Vice President ROWLING Results of Matches on the Local Alleys

## ANOTHER EASY WIN

Nationals Put It All Over Galveston, 10 to 1.

### WALTER JOHNSON IS INJURED

Washington's Great Twirler Hit on Right Leg with Red-hot Litter. Seventeen Hits Again Fall to Nationals' Portion, While Losers Get Two—Watch New Yorks Play.

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Galveston, Tex., March 17.—The glorious spring progress of the Washington baseball club was renewed to-day without the sign of fall in baseball or the weather, when it trounced the second installment of Jack Warner's Galveston club by 10 to 1.

### SPORTING SIDELIGHTS

By BILL BAILEY.

### ODE TO SPRING.

In the spring the young man's face is like a red-hot iron. Chances will round the diamond. He'll not know where he's at. (For, that's what's the matter with him.) Just the time to play the game. But next day, when called for breakfast, he'll be dead.

### Home Run Off Groom.

The other feature was a home run by Helman, the Galveston pitcher. He plays the outfield as much as the slab because of his swatting and he justified that arrangement.

### Two Runs in Fourth.

McBride's single, Street's sacrifice, Gray's double, and Ganley's single netted two tallies in the fourth.

### Freeman beat a blow to short in the fifth inning, and was out stealing.

Conroy was hit by the pitcher and took second on a safety. McBride tried to center. Street's two-bagger scored Conroy and Milan, and Groom's scratch through short let in Street. Three runs there.

### In the sixth inning Unglaub singled.

got third on singles by Freeman and Conroy, and scored on Milan's single.

### The teams met again to-morrow, and probably on Friday.

Washington leaves here Friday night for San Antonio.

### Score:

	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
WASHINGTON.					
Cramer, H.	0	0	0	0	0
Gandy, H.	0	0	0	0	0
Unglaub, H.	1	2	0	4	0
Freeman, H.	1	3	16	1	0
Conroy, H.	2	2	1	3	0
Milan, C.	2	3	1	0	0
McBride, H.	1	3	2	2	0
Street, H.	1	1	3	1	0
Blankenship, C.	0	0	3	0	0
Groom, P.	0	0	1	3	0
Gray, P.	0	0	0	1	0
W. Johnson, P.	0	0	0	1	0
Total	10	17	27	16	0
GALVESTON.					
Corkhill, C.	0	0	1	1	0
Yule, H.	0	0	3	5	0
Nichols, H.	0	0	15	2	2
Riley, H.	0	0	1	0	0
Cleveland, H.	0	0	2	3	0
Simpson, H.	0	0	1	2	1
Tols, H.	0	0	1	2	1
Wolf, C.	0	0	2	2	0
Helman, P.	1	1	0	3	0
Boss, P.	0	0	0	3	0
Brown, P.	0	0	0	1	0
Total	1	2	27	21	3
Washington	0	3	12	0	0-10
Galveston	0	0	1	0	0-1

### First base by error—Washington, 2. Left on bases—Washington, 6; Galveston, 2. Left on bases—Washington, 1; Galveston, 1. First base on error—Helman, 1; off Brown, 1. Double play—By Groom, 5; by Helman, 5; by Gray, 2; by Boss, 3; by Brown, 2; by W. Johnson, 1. Hits made—Off Groom, 1; off Gray, 1; off Helman, 5; off Boss, 4; off Brown, 4. Struck out—By Gray, 5; by W. Johnson, 3. Home run—Helman. Two-base hit—Street. Gray sacrifice hit—Street. Sacrifice fly—Groom. Double play—Yule to Cleveland to Nichols. Hit by pitcher—By Boss, 1. Umpire—Mr. Smith. Time of game—1 hour and 30 minutes. Attendance, 200.

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President and Mr. Sherman Remembered by Ban.

## HICKMAN OFF FOR GEORGIA

"Handsome Charley" Leaves to Join Toledo Teammates in Columbus, Ga.—Delahanty's Threat to Quit May Be Made Good—Death of Capt. Courtney Sad Blow to Georgetown.

By WILLIAM PREET.  
Ban Johnson, president of the American League, announces that he has ordered special passes for the 1909 season to be presented to President William H. Taft and Vice President Sherman. These passes will be of elaborate design and admit bearers to grand stand seats at all American League club grounds.

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## REGULARS DEFEAT YANNIGANS

Lively Practice Game Yesterday at the Catholic University.

In the face of a frigid west wind, the Catholic University baseball regulars scored a decisive victory over the Yannis in a snappy nine-inning game on the Brookland grounds yesterday, by 8 to 4. The regulars inflicted pulled off several snappy plays that would do credit to midseason form. McGeary, at third base, was much in evidence, having four difficult put outs and as many assists, without the semblance of a slip-up. Lora, at short for the Yannis, also did creditable work.

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## Bits of District Sporting Gossip

The National Guard meet which will be held in the guard armory on March 27 promises to eclipse anything of the kind in the history of the athletic association. Several features have been added that heretofore have not been attempted. Jack Sterret, holder of the South Atlantic record in the pole vault, has promised to attempt to add a few inches to his mark. A sparring exhibition between Tommy Lowe, the fast light-weight of this city, and Jack O'Brien, of the National Guard, should add materially to the interest of the meet.

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